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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
DOUGLAS E. OTT, et al.)
) Group Art Unit 3763
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Filed: July 27, 1999) Examiner: M. Thompson
Serial No.: 09/363,234)
) Attorney Docket 1-15369
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS)
 FOR TREATING GAS FOR)
 DELIVERY TO AN ANIMAL)

June 18, 2002

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Sir:

Applicant, in response to the Official Action dated May 21, 2002, and in supplementation to the Response to Election/Restriction previously filed on February 21, 2002, hereby provisionally indicates that the following claims read on the elected species, Figures 1 and 2, and subs-species Figure 10: 34, 35, 38, 39, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 59, 60, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 97, 98, 99. It is believed that claims 97 and 99 are generic.

Applicant, in view of the above, and the amendments and remarks explanatory thereof previously submitted in the response dated May 21, 2002, invites a favorable reconsideration of the

present application. A telephone interview with the Examiner is again invited to discuss the point raised in the previously and presently submitted Responses and to facilitate prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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